



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
 United States Patent and Trademark Office
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
 www.uspto.gov



Bib Data Sheet

CONFIRMATION NO. 3281

SERIAL NUMBER 10796,934	FILING DATE 03/09/2004 RULE	CLASS 029	GROUP ART UNIT 3726	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 388-1001
----------------------------	---------------------------------------	--------------	------------------------	------------------------------------

APPLICANTS

Andreas Sausner, Frankfurt, GERMANY;
 Georg Weick, Plankstadt, GERMANY;
 Delbert L. Adkins, Clinton Township, MI; David Poirier, Fort Gratiot, MI;

** CONTINUING DATA *****

Sh

** FOREIGN APPLICATIONS *****

GERMANY 10313242.2 03/25/2003

yes Sh

IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED

** 05/28/2004

Foreign Priority claimed 35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance	STATE OR COUNTRY GERMANY	SHEETS DRAWING 2	TOTAL CLAIMS 13	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS 2
---	---	--------------------------------	------------------------	-----------------------	----------------------------

Verified and Acknowledged

Examiner's Signature *Sh* Initials

ADDRESS

02574
 JENNER & BLOCK, LLP
 ONE IBM PLAZA
 CHICAGO, IL
 60611

TITLE

Sheathed metal tube and method therefor

FILING FEE	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:	<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees (Filing) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees (Processing Ext. of time)
RECEIVED		

1190	<div data-bbox="998 174 1437 363"> <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees (Issue) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Credit _____ </div>
------	---